

30. Any member may call for a division of the question, when the same shall admit of it, which shall be determined by the Speaker.

31. When a motion has been once made and carried in the affirmative or negative, it shall be in order for any member of the majority to move for the reconsideration thereof, on the same or succeeding day, unless it may have subsequently passed the Senate, and no motion to reconsider shall be taken from the table except by a two-thirds vote. But unless such vote has been taken by a call of the yeas and nays, any member may move to reconsider.

32. When the reading of a paper is called for, which has been read in the Houses, and the same is objected to by any member, it shall be determined by a vote of the House.

33. Petitions, memorials, and other papers addressed to the House shall be presented by the Speaker; a brief statement of the contents thereof may be verbally made by the introducer before reference to a committee, but shall not be debated or decided on the day of their first being read, unless the House shall direct otherwise.

34. When the ayes and noes are called for on any question, it shall be on motion before the question is put; and if seconded by one fifth of the members present, the question shall be decided by the ayes and noes; and in taking the ayes and noes, or on a call of the House, the names of the members will be taken alphabetically.

35. Decency of speech shall be observed and personal reflection carefully avoided.

36. Any member may arise at any time to speak to a question of personal privilege, and upon objection to him proceeding, the Speaker shall determine if the question is one of privilege.

37. Fifteen members, including the Speaker, shall be authorized to compel the attendance of absent members. A quorum shall consist of a majority of the qualified members of the House.

38. No member or officer of the House shall absent himself from the service of the House without leave, unless from sickness or inability.

39. Any member may excuse himself from serving on any committee if he is a member of two standing committees.

40. If any member shall be necessarily absent on temporary business of the House when a vote is taken upon any question, upon entering the House he shall be permitted, on request, to vote, *provided* that the result shall not be thereby affected.

41. No standing rule or order shall be rescinded or altered without one day's notice given on the motion thereof, and to sustain such motion two-thirds of the House shall be required.

42. The members of the House shall uncover their heads upon entering the